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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add new Claims 12-14 as follows:

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12. (NEW)The lens of Claim 1, wherein at least one of said viewing element is a removable optic.

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(NEW) The lens of Claim 12, wherein at least one of said viewing elements comprises a frame member defining a void thereon, wherein said frame member is capable of receiving said removable optic.

14. (NEW) The lens of Claim 13, wherein said removable optic is attached to said

frame member.

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